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## MEDICINAL.

### BICYCLE GIRLS

Are apt to overdo their strength. The rivalry of the road, the cheerful companionship, the exhilaration of the swift movement on the machine, all tend to make a woman unconsciously overtax herself. The results are often serious, and may affect the whole future of wifehood and motherhood.

Every woman who is conscious of feminine irregularities or disorders from strain or any other cause, should begin at once the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It promptly corrects all female irregularity, dries the drains which are so debilitating, and tones the nervous system. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

"I had falling of internal organs and had to go to bed every month; had irregular monthly periods which would sometimes last ten or twelve days," writes Mrs. Alice L. Holmes, of Coalingburg, St. Uniontown, Pa. "Had also indigestion so bad that I could not eat anything hard. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cured me. I took three bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and one of the 'Golden Medical Discovery'."

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter, free. All correspondence private. Address, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

**CATARRH Nasal Catarrh.**  
In all its stages the remedy should be cleanest.  
ELY'S CREAM BALM  
cleanses, soothes and cures the inflamed membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.  
OREAM BALM is placed into the nostrils and spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large size, 50c at drugists or by mail. Trial size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren street, New York.

**FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.**  
AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

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## AGRICULTURAL.

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President. Sec. and Treas.

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Factory and Wharf—Foot of Duke street, Alexandria, Va.

NO. P. ROBINSON, GEO. S. FRENCH  
President. Secretary.

### Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Fertilizers, Fertilizer Materials and Blue Windsor Ground Plaster, PRINCESS STREET, BETWEEN UNION AND LEE.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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\$2 per setting of 15. The best fowl for crossing for table purposes. Address HAMPTON STOCK FARM.

ap 2m Seminary P. O., Va.

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## BURNED AT THE STAKE.

John Wesley Pennington, a negro

was burned at the stake near Eastern

prize, A. S., before a crowd of five hundred enraged citizens of Coffee county

yesterday morning. The assemblage was composed of both whites and blacks, and though the suffering wretch pleaded for mercy and endeavored to break the chains that bound him, not a trace of sympathy was shown him.

Pennington had committed an assault upon Miss J. C. Davis, the wife of one of the most prominent farmers of Coffee county, and confessed his guilt. The crime was committed Tuesday afternoon, while Mrs. Davis was gathering vegetables in her garden. He choked her into insensibility and fled through the woods, nearby.

Mrs. Davis crawled to the house and told her husband what had happened. A large posse was quickly organized, and with bloodhounds they chased the negro until early yesterday morning when he was captured in a swamp. Pennington was bound hand and foot and taken back to the Davis home for identification.

None of the result of Mrs. Davis had been sent by runners for miles around Eastern prize, and every farmer in the neighborhood had left a plow to join the search. There is no telegraph office in Coffee county, but the message traveled quickly, and when the posse arrived yesterday morning with Pennington there were at least 500 persons gathered near the Davis residence.

At a signal the majority of the men withdrew to the woods and quietly awaited the result of the meeting of Pennington and Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Davis immediately recognized the negro, and he broke down and wept. He admitted having committed the assault and pleaded for mercy, but he was dragged from the house and into the woods, where the crowd had gathered.

Evidently expecting the confessor, several of the citizens had already driven a stake into the ground, and as the men appeared with Pennington, both whites and blacks were piling brushwood around it. The negro saw his doom and screamed in terror, while the crowd stood silently by.

The terror-stricken man had to be supported while the chains were fastened around his neck and body. When all was ready the word was given and the crowd stood back. A match was applied to the pile, and with oil to feed on, the tiny flames soon burst into a roaring fire.

The negro again pleaded for mercy in the most agonizing tones, and prayed that those around him might perish. He then called upon his Maker for forgiveness. The body was quickly consumed and all that remained was a pile of ashes. The crowd then quietly dispersed.

## A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan.

"My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible state that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured. I think it the best medicine I have ever tried." For sale by Richard Gibson and druggists.

## Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup for teething

babies. Full-size bottle, 10 cents. Cures Wind Colic, Diarrhoea, Loss of Sleep, Griping Pains, Sour Stomach, Fever, Cholera Infantum.

Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup also promotes the digestion and soothes the baby. Sold by Richard Gibson and all druggists.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren st., N. Y.

James White, Bryantville, Ind., says Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup cured his running nose on both legs. He had suffered 6 years. Doctors failed to help him. Get Dr. Bull's. Accept no imitations. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater and Sons.

## EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL,

Near ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A preparatory

SCHOOL FOR BOYS!

The school opens September 25, 1901.

Catalogue on application.

L. M. BLACKFORD, M. A., Principal.

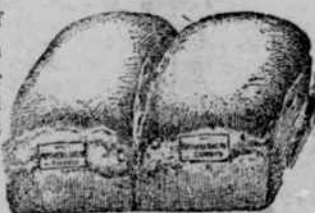
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## BREAD.

MADAM, HAVE YOU TRIED

### "MOTHER'S BREAD?"

There is more satisfaction in a loaf of "Mother's Bread" than there is in two or three loaves of any other kind. It is the best and purest bread in the world. It is made of the finest materials by a special process that develops all of the nutriment of the choicest wheat flour.



Ask your grocer for "Mother's Bread" and refuse substitutes. 5c a loaf.

DELIVERED IN ALEXANDRIA.

## CORBY'S MODERN BAKERY,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

There is but one brand of "Captain Billy" Cigars on the market

**WHY NOT SMOKE CAPTAIN BILLY**  
When you can get a 10¢ Cigar for 5¢

We are now making them in two shapes.

They are Cuban handmade.

If you anticipate taking a trip during the hot weather, carry a box with you.

Take your choice of shapes.

Sold by all dealers

Manufactured by

B. B. SMITH, Alexandria, Va.

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A powerful engine can't be run with a weak boiler; and you can't expect to keep up the wear and strain of an active life with a weak stomach. Our boilers, or rather our stomachs, can't be replaced, and we cannot stop the human machinery while making repairs. But when the stomach is unable to digest enough food to keep the body strong, we can use such a preparation as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat, so that you can eat all the good food you want, without any distress after eating.

"After forty years of suffering from indigestion, a few bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cured me."—Amel Bell, Fredonia, Pa.

It can't help but do you good

Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The \$1 bottle contains 24 times the 50c size.

When you need a soothing and healing application for piles, sores and skin diseases, use DeWitt's Witch Hazel SALVE. Be aware of counterfeits.

Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

## FINANCIAL.

REPORT OF THE condition of the WASHINGTON NATIONAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON, D. C., located at No. 1117 G street, north-west, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business June 30, 1901.

## RESOURCES.

Real estate loans, \$1,092,611 18

Stock loans, 9,641 09

Cash on hand and in bank, 134,057 59

Real estate, 134,057 59

Interest, fines, dues, premiums, delinquent, at date of process of collection, 43,510 49

Bills receivable, 12,127 96

Furniture, fixtures and supplies, 3,819 54

Notes and other securities, 2,387 50

\$1,356,524 35

## LIABILITIES.

Installment stock, \$756,802 16

Prepaid stock, 135,650 00

Full paid stock, 80,000 00

Permanently stock, 151,353 00

Bills payable, 10,000 00

Interest and premiums advanced, 1,032 20

Accrued interest, 16,028 31

Undivided profits or balance, 204,782 35

Miscellaneous liabilities (Pa. State tax), 876 06

\$1,356,524 35

District of Columbia, as:

J. C. Stoddard, Secretary of the above named Association, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. STODDARD, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of July, 1901.

(Signed) CLARENCE E. LATIMER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: J. B. WILSON, H. E. BOAN, H. BRADLEY DAVIDSON, Directors.

## PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, 419 north Washington street, Alexandria, Virginia, July 10, 1901.

Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for installing plumbing and steam-heating apparatus in two sets of quarters at Fort Washington, Maryland, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, August 9, 1901. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Plumbing and Heating Officers' Quarters, Fort Washington, Md." Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of Depot Quartermaster, Baltimore, Philadelphia, also at this office. AMB. S. BICKHAM, Captain & Quartermaster, U. S. Army.

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FINE WINTER-CURED HAMS—Cox & Gordon's Sugar-cured Hams, small sizes, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

601 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

## BREAD.

## A. C. SLAYMAKER,

NO. 429 King street.

## Great Reductions.

To close out remnant of stock of

Figured Lawns,

Organdies, Piques,

Covert Cloths, Ducks,

we will sell same at COST.

A few pieces of Madras, formerly 10 and 12-2c, to close out at 8c per yard.

Also a few odds and ends of remnants of various kinds, on which a specially low price will be made

Pretty Fine White Striped Lawns, India Linons, Organdies, &c.

Full Line Under-

wear, Hosiery, &c.,

Neglige and

Dress Shirts.

at all prices.

## CORSETS.

Royal Worcester and American Lady Corsets in all the latest styles.

A few American Lady Corsets, formerly \$1.00, to close out at 69c.

## BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

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OR SEASIDE.

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You will probably need a Dress Suit Case or Bag.

A beautiful line of these goods and other requisites for travelers. We cannot give an adequate description here. Call and inspect critically. The price will also surprise you.

Gold Globes, Ball, Caddy Bag, Lawn Swings, Hammocks, Croquet and Lawn Tennis Goods, FISHING TACKLE.

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If so call and obtain prices and terms on the following properties:

1016 Prince street, 3-story brick, 10 rooms, stable in rear, nice location for home.

208 S. Patrick street, b. a., 9 rooms, bath, 45x100 ft. to 20 ft. Court.

1205 King street, 2-story brick brick, 9 rooms, all modern conveniences.

1115 Prince street, 2 story brick, 9 rooms, a. m. e.

206 S. North Pitt street, brick, 6 rooms, good yard, rent \$7.00 per month.

918 King street, 3-story brick, 12 rooms, large side lot, finely located for a nice home.

Corner Pitt and Wilcox streets, two story frame dwellings, with brick back buildings.

Rents for \$15.00.

## FOR RENT.

312 King street; fine store.....\$15.00

308 King street; store and 7 rooms.....25.00

218 N. Washington St., 9 rooms and bath; heated by furnace.....25.00

321 S. St. Asaph St., 7 rooms and bath 13.00

1827 Duke street, 6 rooms and bath.....8.00

## M. B. Harlow & Co.,

Real Estate & Insurance Brokers,

NO. 119 S. FAIRFAX ST.,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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N. O. 1 MACKEREL and PRIME SCOTCH HERRING received Sept. 10, by J. C. MILBURN.

## SWAN BROS.,

424 and 426 King Street.

ONE PRICE.

## August Clearance Sale of all Summer Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices.

This is the month we endeavor to close out all Summer Merchandise, and in order to do so we continue reducing prices to the lowest.

All the Ladies' Black Lawn Shirt Waists which sold for 69c, 75c and \$1.00 reduced to

49c each.

Ladies' Colored and White Shirt Waists reduced from 50c, 75c and 98c to

39c each.

One lot Misses' Colored Shirt Waists reduced from 50c to

25c each.